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DERA National Funding Assistance Program

May 28, 2013 – EPA has announced a \$9 million funding opportunity for the National Clean Diesel Funding Assistance Program. The Program is soliciting proposals nationwide for projects that achieve significant reductions in diesel emissions in terms of tons of pollution produced by diesel engines and diesel emissions exposure.

Eligible diesel emission reduction solutions include verified emission control technologies such as exhaust controls, engine upgrades, verified idle reduction technologies, certified engine repowers, and/or certified vehicle or equipment replacement.

Eligible diesel vehicles, engines and equipment may include, medium-duty or heavy-duty trucks, marine engines, locomotives and nonroad engines, equipment or vehicles used in construction, handling of cargo (including at a port).

Summary (partial) of what EPA will Fund:

- **Verified Exhaust Control Technologies:** EPA will fund up to 100% of the cost of eligible verified exhaust control technologies.
- **Verified/Certified Engine Upgrades:** EPA will fund up to 40% of the cost of eligible engine upgrades.
- **Certified Engine Repower:** EPA will fund up to 40% of the cost (labor and equipment) of an eligible engine repower.
- **Certified Vehicle/Equipment Replacement:**
 - Nonroad Diesel Vehicles and Equipment: EPA will fund the incremental cost of a newer, cleaner vehicle or piece of equipment powered by a 2011 or newer model year certified nonroad diesel engine, up to 25% of the cost of an eligible replacement vehicle or piece of equipment.
 - Highway Diesel Vehicles: EPA will fund the incremental cost of a newer, cleaner vehicle powered by a 2011 model year or newer certified highway heavy-duty diesel engine, up to 25% of the cost of an eligible replacement vehicle or piece of equipment.
 - Drayage Truck Replacement: EPA will fund up to 50% of the cost of eligible drayage trucks with a 2010 model year or newer heavy-duty engine.

If your company is interested to participate in this program, the Mid-Atlantic Regional Air Management Association (MARAMA) is planning to submit a proposal to EPA Region 3. Please contact Mr. Rick Gordon with MARAMA as soon as possible at (443)901-1882. Application deadline to MARAMA is June 4, and please call Mr. Gordon to confirm.